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Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden  
Institute of World Affairs, Inc.  
527 Madison Avenue, Room 314  
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Hadden:

Thank you very much for your letter of 3 October inviting me to address the Palm Beach Round Table on 27 February, 20 March or 27 March 1961.

// As I told Mr. Bullock, it is a little early for me to make a definite commitment for either February or March and I cannot give a firm answer until after the first of the year. I realize, of course, that you must proceed to make your schedule well in advance and, if this is not satisfactory, please let me know.

Your courtesy in asking me to speak at your Round Table is indeed appreciated and I might say that I remember quite well the occasion in Paris when I spoke to your Institute graduates.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

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Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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